

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT  
APPLICATIONIn re PATENT APPLICATION of  
Inventor(s): LEEAppln No.: 07 / 614,452  
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Filed: November 16, 1990

Title: GDF-1

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231420-217  
Group Art Unit 1812

Examiner Porta, M.

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Date: October 5, 1992

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AMENDMENT

This is a response in the above-identified application and includes the herewith-attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. "Small Entity" statement(s) filed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> previously	<input type="checkbox"/> herewith( <u>(No.)</u> )
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Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
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- |   | <u>Large/Small Entity</u> |           |          |
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| 2. Total Effective Claims * _____ minus ** _____ = _____  | X                         | \$22/\$11 | = \$ 0   |
| 3. Independent Claims * _____ minus *** _____ = _____   | X                         | \$74/\$37 | = \$ 0   |
| 4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave blank if this is a <u>reissue</u> appln) add \$230/\$115 + _____  |                           |           | + 0      |
| 5. <u>Original</u> due date: [ ] None; [XX] (date) July 3, 1992   |                           |           |          |
| 6. Petition is hereby made to extend the <u>original</u> due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached (Large/Small Entity: 1 month \$110/\$55; 2 months \$360/\$180; 3 months \$840/\$420): + 420.00 |                           |           | + 420.00 |
| 7. If <u>Terminal Disclaimer</u> attached, add Rule 20(d) Official fee (\$110/\$55) - - - - - + _____   |                           |           | + _____  |
| 8. If IDS attached requires Official Fee, add \$200 - - - - - + _____   |                           |           | + _____  |
|   | Subtotal                  | \$ 420.00 |          |
| 9.  |                           |           | -        |
| 10. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above <u>original</u> due date (item 5) and subtract  |                           |           | -        |
|   | TOTAL FEE ATTACHED        | \$ 420.00 |          |

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  12. \*If the entry in this space is less than entry in the next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".
  13. \*\*If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
  14. \*\*\*If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- CHARGE STATEMENT: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (missing or insufficiencies only) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting Official Document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account/Order Nos. shown in the heading hereof, for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeal separately.

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 3, 1992, in the above matter, the period for response having been extended up to and including October 3, 1992, by submission of the required petition and fee herewith. Kindly amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend the claims as follows:

claim 1, lines 2 and 3, delete ", or an epitope ... to said DNA segment". ✓

claim 11, lines 3 and 4, change ";" and" to --, operably linked to--. ✓

Claim 16, lines 2 and 3, delete ", or an epitope ... to said DNA segment". ✓